

### **Teaneck Senior Center**

#### Township of Teaneck



Summer Season 2021

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# Summer State of Mind



We're excited to bring you the summer edition of our newsletter! We have been continuing our wellness checks, virtual classes, and in the midst of a 10 week outdoor Spring Session.

#### Virtual Classes are here!

Check out our physical fitness, art, and educational class offerings on the Township Website: <a href="https://www.teanecknj.gov/senior-programs.">https://www.teanecknj.gov/senior-programs.</a>
The Senior classes are also playing on Cable TV
Channel 77 on Altice (Optimum) or Channel 47 on FIOS!

#### **Summer 2021 Outdoor Classes Are Coming!**

The Senior Center will be offering an array of **outdoor classes** for the 2021 Summer Session. Information/ packet can be found on the Township Website starting **May 7th**. The 6 week Outdoor Summer Session will run from **Tuesday**, **July 6th to Friday**, **August 13th**.

We will continue to use the Township Website as our way of communicating any updates:

https://www.teanecknj.gov/senior-programs

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#### Health & Wellness

## Summer Maintenance for Seniors!

Try
 relaxation
 techniques
 such as
 meditation
 or yoga to
 manage stress.



- Get vision, dental, and hearing checkups on a regular basis.
- Be sure to protect your skin from the sun by using sunscreen!

Nurse Kathy Powers R.N.



## RESOURCE CORNER

#### **Professional Services**

Holy Name Medical Center Nurse, Kathleen Powers, R.N., will be on-site for Blood Pressure Screenings by **APPOINTMENT ONLY**.

Please call the Senior Center

at 201-837-0171 or 201-837-7130 to make an appointment.



#### Bergen County Division of Senior Services / Kaplan Jewish Community Center (JCC)

Introducing the Senior iPad Lending Library! This program will deliver a preloaded iPad to any Senior in need with ongoing technical support. Don't miss out! Call Sarah Feinmark at 201-569-7900 extension 404 or email SFeinmark@jccotp.org for more information.



#### The Cost of Nursing Home Care

State	Cost (Per Month)
New Jersey	\$10,646
New York	\$11,613
Pennsylvania	\$9,733
Delaware	\$10, 897
Maryland	\$9,673

The average cost of nursing home care in the United States is \$7,513. New Jersey is 29% higher than the national average.

#### Source:

Senior Housing Net



#### **Ingredients:**

- 2-3 Lemons juiced and some lemon zest
- 1-2 tablespoons olive oil
- 2 teaspoons of salt
- I teaspoon black pepper
- 8 oz package of pasta
- Chopped Parsley to Garnish
- Optional: I quarter teaspoon red pepper flakes



Recipe Courtesy of The Simple Veganista

#### Instructions:

- Cook pasta according to package.
- In a small bowl, mix together lemon juice, olive oil, salt, cracked pepper, and red pepper flakes (optional).
- Place pasta in individual serving dishes and top with lemon juice mixture and add chopped parsley and lemon zest to garnish.
   Simple and delicious!

## MAY YOU ALWAYS HAVE A SHELL IN YOUR POCKET AND SAND IN YOUR SHOES

#### Ladybug Craft: Rock Out Your Garden

#### **Materials Needed:**

- Patio paint in your color of choice.
- Smooth Rocks preferably oval or round in shape.
- Paintbrush
- Toothpick
- Clear Coat Patio Paint
- Get creative!



#### **Instructions:**

This is a fun activity to add some decoration and fun to your garden! Get the materials listed, most can be found at a craft store like Michaels or online on Amazon.com.

Paint the body of the rock with your color of choice. Then paint your spots and eyes and once it dries put a clear coat of the patio paint on it to seal.